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## Examiner Fortuna:

Please find attached a Response to Office Action for Application 10/734,485. If you have any questions, please call me at 518 387-7360.

Thank you,

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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 6, 2005

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 6, 2005, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

A Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.